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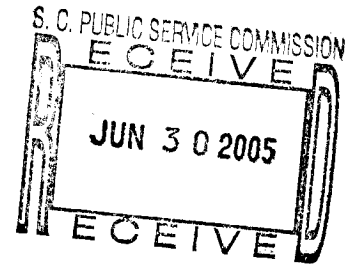
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June 28, 2005

**VIA U.S. MAIL**

Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni  
Chief Clerk/Administrator  
South Carolina Public Service Commission  
101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100  
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Re: Petition of MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC for Arbitration  
of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Agreement with Horry  
Telephone Cooperative, Inc. concerning Interconnection and Resale under  
the Telecommunications Act of 1996  
**Docket No. 2005-188-C**

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and one (1) copy of the Notice of  
Appearance of Counsel in the above referenced matter. Please date stamp the extra copy  
enclosed and return it to me in the envelope provided.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

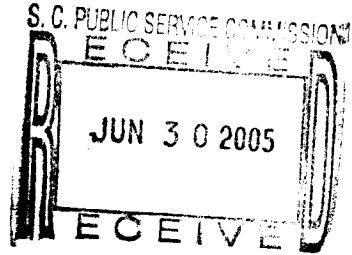
Sincerely,

*Shannon Bowyer Hudson*  
Shannon Bowyer Hudson

Enclosures

cc: Darra W. Cothran, Esquire  
Curley P. Huggins, CEO

**BEFORE**  
**THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**  
**OF SOUTH CAROLINA**  
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Cooperative, Inc. Concerning )  
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**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE  
OF COUNSEL**

**TO: DARRA W. COTHRAN, ESQUIRE, COUNSEL FOR THE APPLICANT,  
MCIMETRO ACCESS TRANSMISSION SERVICES, LLC**

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Shannon Bowyer Hudson gives notice of appearance of counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff in the above-captioned matter. Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-4-10 as enacted by 2004 S.C. Acts 175, the Office of Regulatory Staff is a party of record in all filings, applications, and proceedings before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Any further information or correspondence filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina and should also be served on the undersigned as counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff.

  
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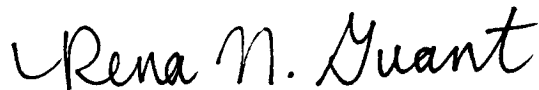
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This is to certify that I, Rena Grant, an employee with the Office of Regulatory Staff, have this date served one (1) copy of the **NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL** in the above-referenced matter to the person(s) named below by causing said copy to be deposited in the United States Postal Service, first class postage prepaid and affixed thereto, and addressed as shown below:

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